

REMARKS


Entry of this Amendment in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.114 is respectfully requested, noting that this Amendment is filed as a Submission with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) on even date herewith.

By the present amendment, the claims, including independent claim 1 and dependent claim 3 have been amended to change "fixed" and "constant" to "first" and "second" respectively since it is respectfully submitted that these limitations of fixed and constant are not necessary to define over the cited prior art in this case (noting that all of the claims 1-14 in this application have previously been allowed by the Notice of Allowance dated June 15, 2005.) With regard to the limitations of "fixed" and "constant" , these have been added in dependent form in new claims 15 and 16.

If the Examiner believes that there are any other points which may be clarified or otherwise disposed of either by telephone discussion or by personal interview, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the number indicated below.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Docket No. 1374.43170X00), and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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